Portland IED bomber suspect revealed to be far-left 'No Kings Day' recruiter

Alexander Wick's ('he/they') last video post just before the violent incident called for comrades to help depose 'fascist' Trump.

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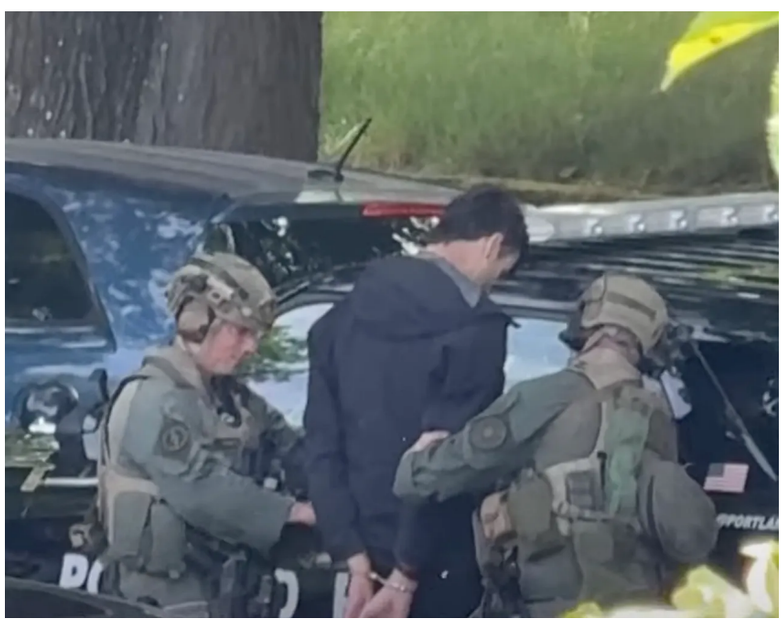
On the day of the "No Kings" protest in Portland, Ore., a rioter threw boards with nails protruding up onto lanes of moving traffic on the I-5 freeway. Responding police found a bomb (IED). The freeway had to be shut down in both directions.

Suspect Alexander Robert Wick, 38, of Portland, was charged with felony unlawful manufacture of a destructive device, felony possession of a destructive device, felony attempted arson in the first degree, felony criminal mischief in the first degree, menacing, and disorderly conduct in the second degree.

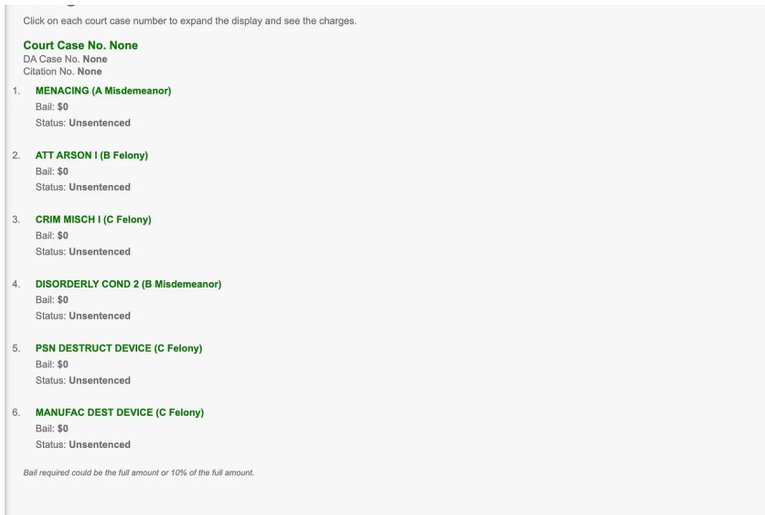


Alexander Wick was apprehended on June 19 by federal and state authorities. He has not been federally charged yet.

BOOKING INFORMATION

SWIS ID	809091
Name	Wick, Alexander Robert
Age	38
Gender	Male
Race	White
Height	6 ft 7 in
Weight	190 lbs
Hair	Brown
Eyes	Hazel
Arresting Agency	Portland Police, North Precinct
Booking Date	06/19/2025 04:14 PM
Assigned Facility	MCDC
Projected Release Date	Unknown

Charges



Click on each court case number to expand the display and see the charges.

Court Case No. None
DA Case No. **None**
Citation No. **None**

1. **MENACING (A Misdemeanor)**
   Bail: **$0**
   Status: **Unsentenced**

2. **ATT ARSON I (B Felony)**
   Bail: **$0**
   Status: **Unsentenced**

3. **CRIM MISCH I (C Felony)**
   Bail: **$0**
   Status: **Unsentenced**

4. **DISORDERLY COND 2 (B Misdemeanor)**
   Bail: **$0**
   Status: **Unsentenced**

5. **PSN DESTRUCT DEVICE (C Felony)**
   Bail: **$0**
   Status: **Unsentenced**

6. **MANUFAC DEST DEVICE (C Felony)**
   Bail: **$0**
   Status: **Unsentenced**

Bail required could be the full amount or 10% of the full amount.

I can now reveal that the attack was likely politically motivated. Wick is a far-left, nonbinary-identifying climate activist with a hatred of police. His last video upload I found was posted just hours before the violent incident. In it, he recruits people to take down “fascist” Trump for the “No Kings” day. This is the second act of serious violence linked to the 50501 group’s events.